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L1 131966 S OEDEMA OR EDEMA  
L2 139921 S TNF OR (TNF (W) ALPHA) OR (TUMOR (W) NECROSIS (W) FACTOR) OR  
L3 0 S (SER100 (3A) GLU116) OR (SER99 (3A) GLU115)  
L4 0 S (SER100 (S) GLU116) OR (SER99 (S) GLU115)  
L5 653 S L1(S) L2  
L6 270 S L5 (S) (LUNG OR PULMONARY)  
L7 4 S L6 (S) (PEPTIDE OR FRAGMENT)  
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TI Mechanisms of TNF-alpha stimulation of amiloride-sensitive sodium transport across alveolar epithelium.

AU Fukuda N; Jayr C; Lazrak A; Wang Y; Lucas R; Matalon S; Matthay M A  
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AB Because tumor necrosis factor (TNF)-alpha can upregulate alveolar fluid clearance (AFC) in pneumonia or septic peritonitis, the mechanisms responsible for the TNF-alpha-mediated increase in epithelial fluid transport were studied. In rats, 5 microg of TNF-alpha in the alveolar instillate increased AFC by 67%. This increase was inhibited by amiloride but not by propranolol. We also tested a triple-mutant TNF-alpha that is deficient in the lectinlike tip portion of the molecule responsible for its membrane conductance effect; the mutant also has decreased binding affinity to both TNF-alpha receptors. The triple-mutant TNF-alpha did not increase AFC. Perfusion of human A549 cells, patched in the whole cell mode, with TNF-alpha (120 ng/ml) resulted in a sustained increase in Na(+) currents from 82 +/- 9 to 549 +/- 146 pA (P < 0.005; n = 6). The TNF-alpha-elicited Na(+) current was inhibited by amiloride, and there was no change when A549 cells were perfused with the triple-mutant TNF-alpha or after preincubation with blocking antibodies to the two TNF-alpha receptors before perfusion with TNF-alpha. In conclusion, although **TNF- alpha** can initiate acute inflammation and **edema** formation in the lung, **TNF-alpha** can also increase AFC by an amiloride-sensitive, cAMP-independent mechanism that enhances the resolution of alveolar **edema** in pathological conditions by either binding to its receptors or activating Na(+) channels by means of its lectinlike domain.

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